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IMMIGRATION INSPECTOR PLEADS GUILTY TO FEDERAL CHARGE

United States Attorney Johnny Sutton announced that 52-year-old Francisco Javier Macias, an Immigration Inspector with the Department of Homeland Security (DHS), Bureau of Customs and Border Protection (BCBP), pleaded guilty this afternoon to one count of importation of an illegal aliens for immoral purposes.

Appearing before United States Magistrate Judge Richard Mesa, Macias admitted that he was responsible for allowing female undocumented aliens to enter the United States from Mexico through the Ysleta Port of Entry in return for sexual favors.

Macias faces up to ten years in federal prison and a maximum \$250,000 fine. No sentencing date has been scheduled.

This case is being investigated by the Federal Bureau of Investigation and Department of Homeland Security - Office of Inspector General. Assistant United States Attorney Brandy Gardes is prosecuting this case on behalf of the Government.

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